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INFO AMEMBASSY CANBERRA

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TAGS: CASC (BENDL, MR. AND MRS. IVAN)

SUBJECT: ASSISTANCE TO CONSTITUENTS

1. SENATOR MARK HATFIELD (ORE.) HAS CONTACTED DEPARTMENT
REGARDING FOLLOWING CONSTITUENT PROBLEM:

2. MR. AND MRS. IVAN BENDL, U.S. PERMANENT RESIDENTS, WHO
RESIDE AND OWN CONSIDERABLE AMOUNTS OF PROPERTY IN PORTLAND,
OREGON, RECENTLY ARRIVED TEL AVIV TO VISIT MRS. BENDL'S
DAUGHTER, LEORA INA JAIR. SHORTLY AFTER ARRIVAL, MRS.
BENDL'S FORMER HUSBAND, SIMEON JAIR, TOOK HER TO COURT
REGARDING VISITATION RIGHTS OF THEIR SON, GUY JAIR, WHO
PRESENTLY RESIDES WITH GRANDMOTHER IN AUSTRALIA. ISRAELI
COURTS RULED IN JAIR'S FAVOR AND ORDERED MRS. BENDL TO
BRING SON TO ISRAEL. SHE WAS ALSO ADVISED NOT TO LEAVE
ISRAEL. MRS. BENDL IN FINAL STAGES OF PREGNANCY AND DESIRES
THAT CHILD BE BORN IN U.S.

3. DEPARTMENT OFFICER ADVISED SENATOR'S OFFICE THAT
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EMBASSY HAS LIMITED JURISDICTION AS BENDLS NOT U.S. CITIZENS,
BUT THAT EMBASSY WOULD BE APPRISED OF SITUATION AND TAKE
ANY ACTION THEY DEEM APPROPRIATE UNDER CIRCUMSTANCES.

4. BENDLS MAY BE REACHED AT FOLLOWING ADDRESSES:

198 LEVI ESCHAKAL KIRON, TEL AVIV; TELEPHONE: 716-088

OR C/P MRS. FEINSTEIN, MATTAETYAHU HA COHEN 16, TEL AVIV,
TELEPHONE: 442-025. PLEASE SLUG RESPONSE FOR CONGRESSIONAL
RELATIONS.

4. FYI CANBERRA: DEPARTMENT UNDERSTANDS THAT MR. AND
MRS. BENDL AND MRS. BENDL'S SON ARE AUSTRALIAN CITIZENS.
SENATOR HATFIELD'S OFFICE ADVISED THAT THEY WERE UNABLE
OBTAIN ASSISTANCE FROM AUSTRALIAN AUTHORITIES IN U.S. AND
ISRAEL. VANCE

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